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Greetings,

For the meeting tonight here is the latest agenda (v7) as well as the update participant spreadsheet (the lists of "sectors" [A-G] and "fields" [1-9] are in comments at the top of those columns). FYI we asked INGSA to identify additional food and ag folks, those names are at the bottom of the spreadsheet but have not been coded yet. Sorry for the delay in getting these out.

Thanks again for your efforts on this project, we are looking forward to speaking with you later, see you soon.

Regards,

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Greetings,

Our third committee meeting is this coming Monday evening 3/14 (Wednesday morning 3/15 in Hong Kong). The agenda with Zoom info is attached and should also be on your calendars.

At the meeting we will discuss the progress we have made on the workshop 1 agenda and the participant list (will send those docs to you before the Monday committee meeting). During the second half of the first session we will hear a presentation on the "Safety across Asia For the global Environment" (SAFE) project from Ross Mcewing, Project Officer UNODC Wildlife and Forest Crime. A second shorter session will take place at 9 AM ET on Thursday 3/17 (in the US) so those that are available at that time can hear about the French PREZODE project. I know the 9 AM ET time is tough for some so we will record this session so you can listen later at your convenience.

Kind regards,

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Greetings,

We are looking forward to continuing the discussion at the second session of the committee meeting tonight. We will hear from the USAID funded STOP Spillover team. Felicia Nutter and Deborah Kochevar will lead the discussion and Patrick Webb, Jill Falman, Katherine Prager, Jen Peterson and Elaine Faustman will be on the line. They sent some documents in advance for your information (please do not share them). This is a massive multi organization effort (that I know some of you are involved in) so they should have some good insight into how our more modest project can be most effective.

We received some feedback from INGSA on dates. I have attached the table that they put together, it suggests that **the week of April 25** (with maybe 1 of the 3 sessions the week before) would work for

workshop #1 and **the week of May 23** would work for workshop #2. These are dates in Asia so we would avoid scheduling sessions on their Mondays so our group doesn't have to join on a Sunday night. I know that some of you might not be available during that time but hopefully you can join some of the sessions since they will be in the U.S. evening (recall that "one workshop" will be three, 2-3 hour sessions over three nights/mornings). We can talk more about this tonight.

Also after speaking with Jeff Peterson we have decided to nominate him to serve on the committee. It is clear that we need assistance to ensure that the science based guidance (gathered during the workshops) gets translated and adopted by the audiences and communities we are trying to reach. His insight into what approaches might work best will be valuable as we design the workshops.

Kind regards,

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Greetings,

We are looking forward to speaking with you at our committee meeting later today. The committee meeting agenda (with Zoom connection info) is attached and attached to the Outlook calendar invitation. We have arranged for some experts to speak to you during the meeting, Jeff Peterson will discuss the social and cultural aspects of the live animal supply chain and on Thursday Felicia Nutter and Debbie Kochevar from Tufts (and possibly some of their colleagues) will present and discuss the USAID STOP Spillover Project.

We plan to use about the last half hour of each committee meeting session for project updates and committee discussion. To inform that I have attached a Workshop #1 draft agenda (a version with comments from Dirk and Dominic) an updated work plan document and a spreadsheet of possible workshop participants. The sheet is a broad lists of just about everyone we have considered for the workshops and the project. It includes your suggestions, INGSAs initial participant suggestions (their advisory committee candidates and a few others) and many additional suggestions from staff. We are casting a wide net but the plan is to identify and invite a subset of these folks to the workshops.

FYI Raina Plowright (cc'ed) plans to join the committee meeting as a "provisional committee member." As you know we are nominating her to join the committee.

PS I have also attached a description of the Bangkok based, EU funded 'Safety across Asia For the global Environment' (SAFE) project sent to me by Ross McEwing who is coordinating it with UNODC (and FAO and UNEP). We may want to hear more about the project and other projects at a future committee meeting.

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Thanks Dom and Linda!

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I think Hung Nyugen from ILRI has been mentioned already (studies food safety and markets), and Dirk or Wondwossen have you mentioned Boripat Siriaronrat for wildlife trade and disease ? Not sure his current affiliations but has been FAO and Thai govt

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Agenda looks good.

Suggested participants:

1. Speaker: Supaporn Wacharapluesadee, Deputy Chief, Thai Red Cross Emerging Infectious Diseases Health Science Centre, Thailand—Expert on bat viruses in SE Asia
2. OIE reference lab and WHO representative to SE Asia—I can find names if needed.
3. Nguyen Van Trang, A, Prof, PhD Vaccine Immunology Laboratory, The National Institute of Hygiene and Epidemiology, Hanoi, Vietnam, Tel: 844 39718491  
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Regards,  
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**Subject:** NASEM Zoonotic Project Update

Greetings,

I hope you are all doing well, thank you for participating in and contributing to the discussion at the first zoonotic spillover project committee meeting. We are writing to update you on actions NASEM staff have taken since that meeting (list below).

Actions: Please 1) look at the draft workshop #1 agenda (attached) and provide any comments or feedback 2) please send any additional names for workshop participants in SE Asia and China so we can add them to our list of experts and 3) if you are aware of any hard scheduling constraints you have Mon-Thurs in April and May in the evening (US ET, Dirk in the morning in Hong Kong) please let us know.

Kind regards,

Ben

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#### **Items from first committee meeting**

- Draft outline of workshops and agenda for workshop #1
  - Based on the discussion at the committee meeting and the recent discussion with INGSA we have added to the goals based general agenda for workshop #1 (see attached doc, it lists the general goals for workshops 2-4 for context). The agenda is now divided into three sessions: zoonotic spillover, social and cultural context of zoonotic spillover and examples of success that would take place over three days. **Please edit or let us know your thoughts on the draft.**
- Partnership with INGSA
  - Staff met with INGSA leadership on evening of 2/2 to discuss key issues. We discussed the initial outline for the first workshop, categories of experts we are looking for to aid the work they are doing to provide a preliminary list of workshop participants, their progress on the formation of their advisory committee for the project and the hiring of an INGSA program coordinator, what should go on the INGSA project website (see below), and other organizational issues. They agree with the general outline for the workshops and the structure of the online workshops (three 2-3 hour sessions over three days). They noted that it will be important to frame the project to ensure that stakeholders in SE Asia understand the purpose and usefulness of the project and would like to build discussion of social and cultural issues in from the start (even before session 2). They thought that gaps would be identified during the first and second workshop so it will be good to have some flexibility to add topics to subsequent workshops or even commission papers to address the gaps. Agreed with the idea that the workshops include mostly the same participants but that we should have the ability to augment the group later as needed. The working language will be in English so some concern that we might not be able to easily hear from experts from rural areas but thought that those types could be represented in other ways.

- INGSA is working to set up their (~8 person) advisory committee and to hire the program coordinator. They provided a good preliminary list of committee members.
  - **INGSA will identify possible dates in April and May for workshop 1 and workshop 2 that they think will work best for participants in Asia. Once we have a date range from INGSA we will send them to you, settle on exact dates and start inviting participants.**
- Additional committee member candidates
  - Staff are speaking with Riana Plowright (U of Montana) this week
  - We plan to involve Jeff Peterson in the next committee meeting on 2/15 (see below) (Session 2 of workshop #1 will focus on social and cultural issues).
- Comprehensive list of possible workshop participants
  - INGSA will provide suggestions for the majority of the participants, they have promised to send them to us in February, we have provided INGSA with lists of the types of experts we would like to invite (see agenda document).
  - INGSA is working on the list and it will include, food safety, vets, one health experts, SEAOHUN representatives and others that have the expertise from the list. They plan to identify a broad list of potential participants before the end of February so we can have time to decide whom to actually invite. Suggested using IDRC affiliates in the region for social and cultural issues, include experts in risk communication.
  - Staff are working on a spreadsheet that lists all possible workshop participants and their expertise, sectors, regions, etc. We have collected the names you have suggested so far, **please continue to send us the names of any experts especially from SE Asia and China that you think should attend the workshops.**
- Identify and invite Chinese experts
  - **Please provide suggestions.** NASEM will also formally ask CAS to provide a list of experts
- Decide on topics/authors for commissioned papers
  - Please send us your thoughts on experts for this task (We have asked INGSA too.)
- Set up Google drive
  - The staff created an initial Google doc and we have asked for your input.
- Compile database of key papers and docs sent by committee
  - Committee was asked to provide papers and docs, please continue to send those in
  - Articles shared will be added to the endnote library as well. You will be invited to this Endnote library. If you need a license, please let us know.
- NASEM Research Library literature search and analysis
  - In process, the NASEM library has the search terms. The results are back and are being sorted.
- Refine work plan and timeline docs
  - Staff are working on another set of drafts of these documents.
- Post SOT and committee list on NASEM public project webpage
  - The page is up <https://www.nationalacademies.org/our-work/countering-zoonotic-spillover-of-high-consequence-pathogens-hcp-workshop-series>
  - NASEM public affairs staff can now assist with university press releases (Sara, Greg I will be in touch soon).
- Work with INGSA to set up the INGSA project website
  - The website will be used to support our invitations to the workshops. It will include a project description and info about the workshop for participants, list members of the INGSA and NASEM organizing committees, include some key resources and will eventually be used to host the guidebook material. We also might use it to host videos for the workshops. They have posted a draft: <https://www.ingsa.org/zoonosis/>

- Dates and agenda for the next committee meetings
  - The next committee meeting will take place on the evenings of February 15 and 17 (US ET)
  - Staff are working on the agenda for the committee meeting, we plan to hear from Jeff Peterson (will speak about the social and cultural context of the live animal supply chain in SE Asian countries and in China and discuss the different message/process-based approaches he has used in his work, specifically his insight on approaches that will help translate the science into local knowledge so that the guidelines are most likely to be adopted by the different audiences targeted).
  - Invite key person from WHO, FAO, OIE or ILRI Asia to brief the committee

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Greetings,

In an effort create an opportunity for us to interact with counterparts in Asia we propose to hold the next committee meeting on the evenings of February 15<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> in the U.S. Please reserve:

**Tuesday February 15, 8:00-9:30 PM ET (U.S.)**  
**Thursday, February 17, 8:00-9:30 PM ET (U.S.)**

If both of those days/times are impossible for you please let me know asap.

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Hello again! I'm sorry to nag, but we'd like to get your availability for the February meeting. Please fill it in here: <http://whenisgood.net/s5hh52b/results/rixr9zx>  
Many thanks—I know you are all busy, and I can't tell you how much we appreciate the time you give us!  
Best wishes,  
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Hello all!  
We would like to schedule a meeting for next month, during the weeks of Feb 7, 14, 21 and 28. Please let us know which times you are available by filling in the times on the table here: <http://whenisgood.net/s5hh52b>. Note that the table is in US eastern time, but you can select your preferred time zone.  
Thank you very much!  
Best wishes,  
Hope